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In re application of

Eric CHABRIERE et al.

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NOVEL PHOSPHATE-BINDING PROTEIN, PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS
CONTAINING SAME AND USE THEREOF

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed April 15, 2009, the period for response being extended by one month, and the Advisory Action mailed July 29, 2009, Applicants herein provide the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.